(SRI A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.)

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply given to clause (*a*).

Q.—57. Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY (Mysore City South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

whether the special committee appointed by the University to go into the affairs of 'Mitra Mela' at Mysore, has submitted its report; and if so, when and what are its findings?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

The report is awaited by Government.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—Sir, in reply to (*a*) it is said that the report is awaited by Government. Does this reply hold good even today?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Yes.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—Had Government fixed any time limit while constituting the Committee for enquiry into this incident?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—We had requested them to expedite the whole thing and give their very early report.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—Are Government aware that the Committee have concluded their enquiry?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Yes; I learn that the Committee has submitted its report to the University.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—Are Government aware that in the newspapers information was published that the report has been submitted to Government?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I have answered that question.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—Will the Government get the report from the University Council early?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Yes; we have already requested the Vice-Chancellor to expedite the sending of the report.

Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY.—Is the report of the Committee pending before the University Council?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—No. The Vice-Chancellor told me that they had received the report and it is under their consideration.

Sri P. R. RAMAIYA.—Is it a fact that according to reports in the newspapers, the report of the Committee is all a fabricated one?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I do not want to rely on newspapers to answer this question.

Failure in Intermediate and Degree Examinations in English and Science.

Q.—58. Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY (Mysore City South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the percentage of failures in English and Science subjects both in the Intermediate and Degree examinations of the Mysore University, for the last three years;

(*b*) the percentage of failures in the above-said examinations of students that had taken Kannada as medium of instruction in the S.S.L.C. course?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(*a*) *Vide* statement appended.

(*b*) This information is not available.